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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: GOLD)
SERIAL NO.: 10/729,667) EXAMINER: WESSENDORF, T.
FILED: DECEMBER 5, 2004) ART UNIT: 1639
FOR: BIVALENT BINDING MOLECULES OF) CONF. NO.: 3271
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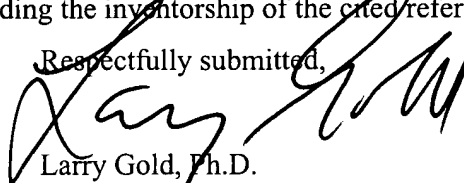
DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.132

Dear Sir:

In regard to the referenced application, and the rejection of same over Biesecker et al., U.S. 5,683,867, the undersigned inventor hereby declares:

The inventorship of the subject application is correct in that the cited reference discloses subject matter derived from the applicant rather than invented by the applicants of the cited reference, notwithstanding the inventorship of the cited reference.

Respectfully submitted,


Larry Gold, Ph.D.
Inventor